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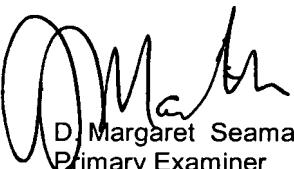
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The amendment after final rejection dated 6/30/2006 has been received and the status of claims has not been changed. Claims 9-20 remain rejected under 102(b) over Hirai (JP 04077476) for reasons of record. If there are any questions, please contact me (Examiner Seaman) at 571-272-0694.


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